

ORIGINAL MONTHLY RECORD OF OBSERVATIONS at RICHMOND, VA., for the Month of August, 1900.

DATE. 1900.	TEMPERATURE.							PRECIPITATION.										CHARACTER OF DAY.	DATE. '90.					
	Maximum. (b)	Minimum. (b)	Range. (b)	Change. (b)	Mean. (Max. and Min.) (b)	Normal.	Departure.	TOTAL EXCESS OR DEFICIENCY.		8 A. M.		8 P. M.		TOTAL.	Normal.	Departure.	TOTAL EXCESS OR DEFICIENCY.			SNOWFALL. (Inches and tenths.)		Average daily cloudiness (0 to 10).		
								Since 1st of month.	Since Jan. 1st.	Character.	Beginning.	Ending.	Character.	Beginning.			Ending.			8 p. m. to 8 p. m. (b) ††	Since 1st of month.		Since Jan. 1st.	Unmelted. 8 p. m. to 8 p. m. (b) In.
1	93	72	21	2	82							R	7:28 pm			.07					2	Clear	1	
2	85	67	18	6	76					R		8:25 pm <sup>(14)</sup>				.01					1	Clear	2	
3	87	68	19	2	78																3	Clear	3	
4	86	65	21	2	76																2	Clear	4	
5	85	65	20	1	75																3	Clear	5	
6	93	65	28	4	79																2	Clear	6	
7	99	73	26	7	86																4	Pt cloudy	7	
8	98	78	20	2	88																2	Clear	8	
9	99	79	20	1	89																2	Clear	9	
10	100	77	23	1	88																2	Clear	10	
11	102	75	27	0	88																1	Clear	11	
12	100	77	23	0	88																3	Clear	12	
13	97	73	24	3	85							R	7:24 pm	7:35 pm		T					4	Pt cloudy	13	
14	96	74	22	0	85																4	Pt cloudy	14	
15	98	75	23	1	86																3	Clear	15	
16	98	74	24	0	86							R	4:55 pm	5:10 pm							4	Pt cloudy	16	
17	95	75	20	1	85							R	5:23 pm	6:35 pm		.44					4	Pt cloudy	17	
18	94	74	20	1	84					R	DN	DN				.01					4	Pt cloudy	18	
19	96	74	22	1	85											0					2	Clear	19	
20	94	75	19	1	84							R	3:23 pm	3:25 pm							5	Pt cloudy	20	
21	86	72	14	5	79					R	DN	DN	R	4:56 pm	5:56 pm	.08					6	Pt cloudy	21	
22	87	69	18	1	78																8	Cloudy	22	
23	86	70	16	0	78					R	DN	DN				0					3	Clear	23	
24	93	71	22	4	82							R	5:01 pm	5:02 pm		2.87					5	Pt cloudy	24	
25	95	72	23	2	84											.05					3	Clear	25	
26	97	74	23	2	86											0					4	Pt cloudy	26	
27	96	74	22	1	85							R	3:41 pm	3:42 pm		0					5	Pt cloudy	27	
28	94	71	23	3	82											.06					1	Clear	28	
29	92	74	18	1	83							R	4:12 pm	4:50 pm		0					6	Pt cloudy	29	
30	89	69	20	4	79					R	8:26 pm <sup>(29)</sup>	9:55 pm <sup>(29)</sup>	R	4:08 pm	4:14 pm	T	.06				5	Pt cloudy	30	
31	91	68	23	1	80											0					1	Clear	31	
S	2901	2239	662	60	2569	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	3.66	(a)	(a)	(a)	0	(a)	104	(a)	(a)
M	93.6	72.2	21.4	1.9	82.9	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	3.4	(a)	(a)

81.2  
+1.7

† Use the following abbreviations: R—rain, S<sup>d</sup>—dry snow, S<sup>m</sup>—moist snow, Sl—sleet, H—hail. †† T indicates trace of precipitation.